

In the Claims:

1. (Previously Presented). A method of treating IBD; comprising, administering a therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide consisting of at least 90% identity to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 over the entire length of SEQ ID NO:1.
2. (Withdrawn). A method of treating or preventing IBD; comprising, administering a therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide having at least 90% identity to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2 over the entire length of SEQ ID NO:2.
3. (Previously Presented). A method of treating IBD; comprising, administering a therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide consisting of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.
4. (Withdrawn). A method of treating or preventing IBD; comprising, administering a therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2.
5. (Currently Amended). A method of claim 1 [~~or 4~~] in which IBD is selected from the group consisting of Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, and inflammatory colitis caused by bacteria, ischemia, radiation, drugs or chemical substances.
6. (Withdrawn). A pharmaceutical composition for treating or preventing IBD comprising therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide having at least 90% identity to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1 over the entire length of SEQ ID NO:1.
7. (Withdrawn). A pharmaceutical composition for treating or preventing IBD comprising therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide having at least 90% identity to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2 over the entire length of SEQ ID NO:2.

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8. (Withdrawn). A pharmaceutical composition for treating or preventing IBD comprising therapeutically effective amount of a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

9. (Withdrawn). A pharmaceutical composition of claims 6-8 in which IBD is selected from the group consisting of Crohn's disease, ulcerative colitis, and inflammatory colitis caused by bacteria, ischemia, radiation, drugs or chemical substance.